

## Message Text

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TAGS: PORG, PEPR, SU, XF  
SUBJ: KHARTOUM ARAB LEAGUE COUNCIL MEETING CANCELLED

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1. SUDANESE FONMIN RASHID AL-TAHIR BAKR HAS CONFIRMED THAT ARAB  
LEAGUE COUNCIL MEETING EXPECTED TO BE HELD IN KHARTOUM NEXT  
MONTH HAS BEEN CANCELLED. IN STATEMENT PUBLISHED BY SUNA  
AUGUST 27, FONMIN SAID IT WAS PREMATURE TO HOLD MEETING AT  
FONMIN LEVEL BECAUSE OF SHARP CONFLICTS AND CHANGING  
POLITICAL SITUATION IN AREA. BAKR EXPRESSED HOPE THAT

COUNCIL MEETING WOULD BE HELD EVENTUALLY, AND SUDANGOV WOULD BE PLEASED HOST SUCH A MEETING. HOWEVER, FOR TIME BEING IT UP TO ARAB LEAGUE SECRETARIAT IN CAIRO TO CALL FOR ORDINARY MEETING WHETHER ON AMBASSADORIAL OR MINISTERIAL LEVEL. BAKR SAID MEETING WOULD BE HELD IN CAIRO SEPTEMBER 12 FOR TECHNICAL AND PRACTICAL REASONS.

2. COMMENT: BAKR'S STATEMENT CONFIRMS REPORTING FROM CAIRO AND MAKES PUBLIC OFFICIAL DECISION CANCEL SEPTEMBER KHARTOUM ARAB FONMIN MEETINGS. BOGOSIAN

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